THE

North-China Herald.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION.—It is hereby notified that until further orders, the *North-China Herald* is to be considered the Official Organ of all Notifications proceeding from Her Majesty's Legation and Superintendency of Trade in China.

H. M.'s Legation, Shanghai, 22nd June, 1860.

E. St. JOHN NEALE,
Secretary of Legation.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION.—It is hereby notified that until further orders, the *North-China Herald* is to be considered the Official Organ in China, of all Notifications proceeding from Her Britannic Majesty's Legation and Consulates in Japan.

H. B. M.'s Legation, Yedo, 20th July, 1861.

LAURENCE OLIPHANT,
Secretary of Legation.

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INTIMATIONS.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of the late RICHARD S. GOUGH, and those having Claims against it, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned.

EDWARD CUNNINGHAM,
Executor.
30ss Shanghai, 25th June, 1862.

Estate of EDWARD GEALE, *deceased.*

ALL persons having Claims against the above Estate are requested to send them in to the Undersigned on or before the 31st August next, and those parties indebted to the same to make immediate payment.

J. LOVE, Junr.,
Executor.
31ss Shanghai, 19th June, 1862

NETHERLANDS VICE-CONSULATE,
SHANGHAI, *7th April*, 1862.

Estate of H. A. KRAMER *deceased.*

ALL persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Undersigned, who will also receive and adjust all claims against the estate if sent in prior to the 31st July next.

T. KROES,
25jy *Netherlands Vice-Consul.*

In the matter of the Estate of CHARLES JAMES FOX, *deceased.*

ALL persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to pay the Amounts due by them, and all persons having Claims against the said Estate, are requested to forward their Accounts, to the Undersigned, on or before the *First day of August*, 1862.

JAMIESON ELLES,
AND S. DIXSON,
Executors.
tf Hongkong, 30th January, 1862.

SHIPPING.

NOTICE.

THE SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY will henceforth dispatch a Steamer for the River Ports every Tuesday and Friday evening, on the making of the flood tide, without fail, unless prevented by disabling accident.

The succeeding Steamer will be ready to receive Cargo before the clearing of the Steamer under dispatch, and Merchandize can therefore be shipped on any day at current rates.

Returning—a Steamer will leave Hankow every Wednesday and Saturday morning.

Freight intended for the River and stored in the Company's Godowns can be shipped free of charge, other than the Tariff Charge for Storage.

Freight by the Company's Steamers from the River can remain in Godown six days, free of charge.

After that time, Storage will be charged at the Tariff Rate; but no charge of coolie hire in landing will be incurred.

At present and until further steamers arrive, built expressly for the traffic, the line will be composed as follows:—

The *Kiangsu*, Captain Berry,
The *Pembroke*, Captain Perkins,
The Chartered Str. *Hankow*, Captain Wolcott.
The *Surprise*, Captain Pendleton.
The Chartered Str. *Contest* Captain Draper.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
tf Shanghai, 10th July, 1862.

CHINA AND JAPAN
(COAST AND RIVER)
STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
Limited
CAPITAL £300,000.
First issue, £150,000 in 15,000 Shares of £10 each.
(2,000 OF WHICH SHARES WILL BE RESERVED FOR CHINA.)

DEPOSIT 5*s.* per share on Application, and 10*s* per share on Allotment.—Calls not to exceed £2.10*s.* each per Share at intervals of not less than Three Months.

Applications for Shares to be made to the Undersigned, who have been appointed Agents in China and Japan.

W. R. ADAMSON & Co.
tf Shanghai, 14th April, 1862.

TOWING.

THE POWERFUL TOW-BOAT
"MARTIN WHITE,"
is now prepared to tow in the WOOSUNG and TWO-TREE RIVERS.

For further information, apply to

WARD & Co.,
or to the CAPTAIN, *on board.*

Orders left at Messrs. FOGG & Co, punctually attended to.
tf Shanghai, 20th June, 1862.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr DOUGLAS FRAZAR in our Firm ceased on the 30th June, 1862.

FRAZAR & Co.
tf Shanghai, 15th July, 1862

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. ALEX. HAYMANN in our Firm ceased on the 20th June last, and the Firm of REIMER & Co. has this day ceased to exist.

All accounts will be collected and settled by the Undersigned.

E. L. REIMER.
26jy Shanghai, 19th July, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. W. M. ROBINET is authorized to sign our Firm at this port.

THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf Shanghai, July 19th, 1862.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

MR. PHILIP HENRY UNDERWOOD is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm.

W. R. ADAMSON & Co.
31jy Shanghai, July 1st 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. ADOLPHUS OVERWEG is authorised to sign our Firm.

OVERWEG & Co.
tf Shanghai, 23rd June, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. J. W. THIES is authorised to sign my name per procuration.

G. KUNST.
tf Shanghai, 5th April, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. ALEXANDER TURING is admitted a Partner in our Firm.

DENT & Co.
12ss Shanghai, 1st July, 1862.

NOTICE.

WE have this day established a Branch of our Hongkong Firm at Shanghai, as SHIP CHANDLERS, GENERAL STORE KEEPERS and AUCTIONEERS, on the Premises lately occupied by Messrs. REIMER & Co., Corner of Park Lane and Bund.

THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf Shanghai, 19th June, 1862.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will commence their "ARMY AGENCY," on Monday, June 23rd, at the Premises lately occupied by Reimer & Co., Church street, and the GENERAL STORE & SHIP CHANDLERY BUSINESS at an early date.

tf Shanghai, 21st June, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. J. FOGG TWOMBLY was admitted a Partner in our Firm May 1st, 1862.

The interest and responsibility of Mr. H. N. TWOMBLY in our Firm has ceased.

H. FOGG & Co.
21ss Shanghai, June 17th, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES H. WRIGHT and MR. WILLIAM STRACHAN MCLEAN are authorized to sign the name of our Firm per procuration from this date.

DOW & Co.
29ss Shanghai, 1st June, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. JAMES LAWRENCE MAN, in our firm, ceased on the 31st March last.

GEO. BARNET & Co.
tf Shanghai, 17th May, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. ALEXANDER COCK is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration.

WATSON & Co.
16ss Shanghai, 14th May, 1862

NOTICE.

I beg to give Notice that I have no further Interest or Responsibility in Messrs. WHEELOCK & Co.'s Cargo Boats.

P. W. LACEY.
2ss Shanghai, April 6th, 1862

NOTICE.

THE business of *Public Tea Inspector*, hitherto conducted by Mr. JOHN BLAIN, will be continued by the undersigned.

BLAIN, TATE & Co.
tf Shanghai, 2nd January, 1860.

NOTICE.

MR. THOMAS LANCASTER LARKEN and Mr. JAMES MILISCH were admitted partners in our firm on the 1st instant.

JOHN FORSTER & Co.
6ds Fuchau, 20th May, 1862

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has established himself at this port as General Commission Agent under the Style of PRICE & Co.

J. F. PRICE.
30sep Ningpo, July 1st 1862.

NOTICE.

I have this day established myself at this Port, as GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

R. I. REUBEN.
21ss Ningpo, 1st June, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. J. TRUELSEN has this day been admitted a partner in my business, which will in future be carried on under the Firm of J. BOHSTEDT & Co.

J. BOHSTEDT.
tf Ningpo, 1st January, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg to give notice that they have opened a Branch of their Business at Shanghai, which will be conducted by Mr. GEORGE STANFORD, who will sign for the Firm per procuration.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
26jy Hongkong, July 1st. 1862.

NOTICE.

WE have this day entered into partnership as Commission Agents at this port under the style of SEVERS, DUUS & Co.

HENRY B. SEVERS.
EDWARD H. DUUS.
tf Hongkong, March, 1st 1862.

NOTICE.

THE Business of the Undersigned is this day closed; the outstanding accounts will be settled by Mr. EDWARD H. DUUS

N. DUUS & Co.
tf Hongkong, February, 28th 1862.

NOTICE

MR WILLIAM GRANT GORDON has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

MACKELLER & Co.
tf Hankow, 1st July, 1862.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

I have this day established myself as *Public Tea Inspector and Commission Merchant* at this port.

R. B. DAVIES.
tf Hankow, 1st May, 1862.

NOTICE.

WE have this day established ourselves at this Port as *Merchants and Commission Agents* under the style of ROBERT FRANCIS & Co.

R. FRANCIS.
H. G. HOLLINGWORTH.
tf Kiukiang, 2nd June, 1862.

NOTICE.

I have this day established myself at this port as *Tea Inspector and Commission Agent.*

ARCHIBALD J. LITTLE.
16my Kiukiang, 3d March, 1862.

NOTICE

THE Undersigned has established himself at this port as *General Commission Agent* under the style of PLATT & Co.

THOMAS PLATT.
6ss Tientsin, 8th March, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE General Agency and Commission Business hitherto carried on by the Undersigned at Canton, has this day been transferred to this Port.

DREYER & Co.
30sep Ying-tsze (Newchwang) 1st July 1862.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has established himself at this Port as GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT under the Style of KNIGHT & Co.

FRANCIS P. KNIGHT.
Newchwang (Yingtsze).
tf 1st January, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. AUGUSTUS RAWLINS HUDSON and of Mr. RICHARD JAMES ASHTON in our Firm ceased on 30th June last.

Mr. HENRY BEVERLEY LEMANN and Mr. WILLIAM LEMANN are this day admitted partners.

GILMAN & Co.
29ss China, 1st July, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of the late Mr. L. N. HITCHCOCK in our Firm terminated on the 30th ultimo; and Mr. WILLIAM NELSON, was admitted a partner on the 1st instant.

OLYPHANT & Co.
tf China, 8th July, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility in our Firm of Mr. JOHN CHARLES BOWRING and Mr. MALCOLM ANDERSON MACLEOD ceased on the 30th ultimo; and Mr. JAMES WHITTALL, Mr. WILLIAM KESWICK and Mr. HERBERT ST. LEGER MAGNIAC are this day admitted Partners.

Our Firm now consists of ROBERT JARDINE, ALEXANDER PERCEVAL JAMES MACANDREW, JAMES WHITTALL, WILLIAM KESWICK, and HERBERT ST. LEGER MAGNIAC.

JARDINE MATHESON & Co.
9ss China, 1st July, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. THOMAS DAVID NEAVE in our Firm ceased *on the 31st December last.*

Mr. ROBERT BRAND and Mr. RANDAL HUMPHTON CHAMBERS are admitted Partners in our Firm from *the 1st of January.*

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
tf China, 14th June, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. AUGUSTINE HEARD in our Firm ceased on the 31st of May 1862, and Mr. GEORGE FARLEY HEARD and MR. ROBERT INGLIS FEARON are this day admitted Partners therein.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf China, 1st June, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. H. P. SIMSON has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.

W. J. ALT & Co.
14ss Nagasaki, 1st June, 1862.

NOTICE.

OUR Firm has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business hitherto carried on by us at this port will in future be conducted by Messrs. GLOVER & Co., who are authorized to sign our firm per pro., in liquidation of any outstanding accounts.

R. ARNOLD & Co.
tf Nagasaki, 31st January, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE business hitherto carried on by Messrs. R. ARNOLD & Co. at this port will in future be conducted by us under the style of GLOVER & Co.

FRANCIS A. GROOM.
THOMAS B. GLOVER.
tf Nagasaki, 1st February, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has this day established himself at this Port as a *General Commission Agent* under the style of H. J. LUYKEN & Co.

H. J. LUYKEN.
10jy Manila, 10th March, 1862.

COMPTON AND READ,
Commission Merchants.
No. 7, FREDDRICK'S PLACE,
OLD JEWRY,
LONDON.
E. C.

JOHN POOK,
Commission Agent
40, LIME STREET,
LONDON.
E. C.
tf

INSURANCES.

NOTICE.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS IN CHINA for the above-named Insurance Company, are now prepared to issue Policies against Marine Risks upon the usual terms, to the extent of Mexican $47,000 by Sailing Ship, and Mexican $90,000 by Steamer.

WM. PUSTAU & Co.
19ap Shanghai, 18th April, 1862.

COLONIAL MARINE AND FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY OF BATAVIA.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above-named Society, are prepared to grant INSURANCE on ORDINARY MARINE RISKS at the usual rates of the Local Offices.

T. KROES & Co.,
Agents in Shanghai.
tf Shanghai, 1st February, 1862.

THE NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL £1,259,760 STG.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances against fire to the extent of £10,000 Stg. on any one Building, or on its contents.

For Terms, &c., apply to

TURNER & Co.
tf Shanghai, 3d February, 1862.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned have been authorised to GRANT POLICIES against Fire on buildings owned by Europeans and in the occupation of Chinese, provided such buildings are of first class construction and situate in the Foreign Settlement.

TURNER & Co.
tf Shanghai, 9th April, 1862.

THE NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL £1,259 760 STG.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Assurances on First Class Lives for the term of life or for a shorter period either with or without participation in the Profits.

Participating Class.—The WHOLE OF THE PROFITS of this BRANCH are divisible amongst the assured in terms of the Act of Incorporation.

For Prospectus and Terms, apply to

TURNER & Co.
tf Shanghai, 3d February, 1862.

THE MERCANTILE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents at this Port for the above Company, and are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE at Shanghai on the customary conditions.

For further particulars apply to

GILMAN & Co.
tf Shanghai, 16th January, 1862.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

THE Undersigned are now authorized to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein at the Port of *Hankow*, and on terms similar to those now existing here.

DOW & Co.
tf Shanghai, 24th February, 1862.

NOTICE

Sun Mutual Insurance Company	Assets, $1,761,000
Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company	" $1,140,000
New York Mutual Insurance Company	" $1,036,000

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents in China for the above-mentioned Insurance Offices of New York, are now prepared to issue Policies upon Marine risks upon the usual terms, to an extent not exceeding One Hundred Thousand Dollars upon any one risk.

Policies will be made payable in London, Liverpool, Hongkong, Shanghai, Singapore, and Bombay, and Calcutta.

In addition to the usual bonus, a cash return of *Five per cent* upon the net amount of premium contributed on terminated risks will be made to Insurers at the end of each year, in lieu of the Script Dividend issued at New York.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf Shanghai, 24th September, 1861.

ALLIANCE MARINE ASSURANCE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Office, are prepared to grant Policies on first-class Vessels from Shanghai to any port in the United Kingdom, payable in London.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
tf Shanghai, 27th December, 1861.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to Underwrite Risks from Shanghai to Hankow and Hankow to Shanghai per Sailing Vessels.

They will be shortly in a position to issue Policies of Marine Insurance upon Native Craft.

RICHARD DUDLEY & Co.
tf Hankow, 9th February, 1862.

HONGKONG MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned are prepared to grant Policies on behalf of the HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY, payable in *Shanghae, Hongkong, Canton, Calcutta, Manila, Bombay* and *London.*

LINDSAY & Co.

Shanghae, 1855

HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY.

POLICIES of Insurance are now issued in this Office at Fuchau by the Agents at that Port, Messrs. RUDDER PHIPPS & Co.

LINDSAY & Co.,
Secretaries Hongkong Insurance Company,
tf Shanghai, 26th August, 1861.

INSURANCES.

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY OF LIVERPOOL.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents in Shanghai for the above Company and are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, as follows—

On private Dwelling Houses of the best description, detached and in the occupation of Foreigners, at the rate of ½ *per cent per annum.*

On Furniture and Stores in the above, 1 *per cent per annum.*

On first-class detached Godowns, ¾ *per cent per annum.*

On second-class Godowns 1 *per cent per annum.*

On Merchandize in Godowns, 1 *per cent per annum*; ½ *per cent for* 3 *months*, and ¾ *per cent for* 6 *months.*

Policies will be granted to the extent of £10,000 on any one Building or on its contents.

No Insurance will be considered in force until the premium be paid.

Considerable advantages are offered by this Company to those effecting Insurance for a longer period than one year.

Forms of Proposals and all requisite information can be obtained at the Offices of the Undersigned.

BLAIN, TATE & Co.
tf Shanghai, 1st July, 1861.

LIVERPOOL & LONDON FIRE & LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of £10,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

DOW & Co.
tf Shanghai, 20th April, 1860.

THE LONDON & ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE.
(Established 1843.)

THE undersigned are prepared to accept RISKS (covered by protecting Policies at LLOYD'S and the various LONDON INSURANCE COMPANIES,) by the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAMERS between *Shanghai, Canton and Hongkong, Amoy*, the *Straits, Ceylon*, the *Presidencies of India, Suez*, and *England.*

The interest in the protecting Policies is assigned to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, for the purpose of their becoming the Medium of Payment in the event of loss.

For RATES OF PREMIUM and other Information, apply to

M. FISCHER, *Hongkong.*
F. WARDEN, *Shanghai.*
S. J. G. JELLICOE, *Singapore.*
T. H. TRONSON, *Calcutta.*
ROBERT FRANCK, *Madras*, or
JOHN RITCHIE, *Bombay.*

The undersigned will also accept Risks upon all *first class* Steam-ships (other than those of the Peninsular and Oriental Company) trading between the above mentioned Ports.

JAMES HARTLEY & Co.
London, 26th November, 1859.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company, at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of £10,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Shanghai, 15th September, 1858.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned are prepared to grant Policies in this Office on the usual terms and conditions to the extent of £10,000, on any one building with its contents, or to the extent of £30,000 on three or more separate buildings in the same occupancy.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
tf Shanghai, 25th February, 1859.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

THE undersigned Agents in Shanghae for the above Company are prepared to accept assurance as under:

On private Dwelling Houses of the best description, *used strictly as such*, and the contents consisting of Household furniture, &c., therein, in private use, at the rate of ½ *per cent per annum.*

On Buildings of Brick or Stone covered with Tiles, Slates or Metal, detached from Chinese Tenements, and on their contents at the rate of *one per cent per annum*, and to the extent of £10,000 on each separate building.

A Building and its contents taken together form one risk. Thus the above sum may be underwritten on a Building alone, or on the contents alone, or part on the Building and part on the contents.

Assurances for Six months will be charged *three-fourths, and for* Three months *one-half of the annual rate.*

No Assurance is to be considered in force until the premium be paid.

Amongst other advantages of the Company, the Assured will be entitled to participate in the Profits after five successive payments.

Parties applying for Assurances will please send in full particulars of the Risk to be taken; any deviation from which, without the consent of the Company, will vitiate the Policy.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents in Shanghae.
tf Shanghae, 2d June, 1860.

EASTERN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

A BRANCH of the above Company having been opened at *Foochow*, Policies will now be granted upon risks from that port.

TURNER & Co.,
Agents in China for the
EASTERN MARINE INSCE. COMPY.
tf Hongkong, 9th July, 1860.

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INSURANCES.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF LIVERPOOL.

CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

Trustees,

JOHN SHAW LEIGH, Esq. | JOHN NAYLOR, Esq.
CHARLES TURNER, Esq., *Chairman.*
RALPH BROCKLEBANK, Esq., *Deputy Chairman.*

THE Company is prepared to grant Policies of Insurance against Fire to the extent of £10,000 on any one Building or its contents.

Premiums are payable in the Bills of any of the Local Banks or in other approved Paper.

BOWER, HANBURY & Co.,
Agents for Shanghai.
tf Shanghai, 1st January, 1859.

"HAMBURG—BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY."

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above named Company are prepared to grant policies against fire at Shanghai to the extent of £10,000, — on one risk, as under:

1, On Buildings or on their contents.
2, On Ships, lying in port, or on their contents.

For further particulars apply to

WM. PUSTAU & Co.,
Agents in Shanghai.
tf Shanghai, 1st December, 1858.

NETHERLANDS INDIAN MARINE AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the Company in China, are prepared to grant Insurance on ORDINARY MARINE RISKS to Europe, United States, India, the Straits, Java, or the Colonies, at the Rates of Premium current with the Local Offices. *Policies payable in* LONDON, HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, and BATAVIA.

TURNER & Co.
Shanghai, 13th February, 1857.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above-named Company at this Port, are prepared to grant POLICIES AGAINST FIRE to the Extent of £5,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

MACPHERSON & MARSHALL.
tf Yokohama, 24th, October, 1861.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above-named Company, and are prepared to grant Policies upon Marine Risks to an extent of $17,000 upon any one risk, and upon Specie per Steamer to an extent of $90,000.

Policies can be made payable in London, Amsterdam, Rotterdam, Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, Bangkok, Singapore, Java, Penang, Melbourne, Sydney, and Newcastle (Australia).

ADRIAN & Co.
tf Nagasaki, 9th April, 1862.

PUBLIC SALE.

BRITISH CONSULATE,
SHANGHAE. 20th *May*, 1862.

HE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, all that valuable Land comprising the rear portion of the British Consular lot, stretching from Consulate Road to Soochow Creek, as also that part forming the compounds, fronting the Senior Assistant's and Interpreters Houses, measuring in all about forty-one mow more or less.

It is not at present intended that the sale shall take place before the 15*th July next*, but due notice will be given of the time and terms of sale.

WALTER MEDHURST,
tf *Consul.*

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.

GIESLER'S Creaming Champagne.
Port, Sherry, &c., &c.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
tf Shanghai, 16th September, 1859.

HOUSES & LAND.

HANKOW.

TO be SOLD Two or Three LOTS OF LAND suitable for Building Purposes and Registered in the British Consulate. Apply to

FRANK H. WILSON.
tf Hankow, July 4th, 1862.

HANKOW.

TO BE SOLD OR LET A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE possessing large GODOWN accommodation, situated on the Hankow River, with access of its own to the water. The Premises contain Office, Dining-room, 3 Bed-rooms and Bath-rooms, Tea room, Compradore's, and Servants' Rooms, and Stone Treasury.

Apply to
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
tf Shanghai, 14th June, 1862.

MISCELLANEOUS.

AMOY DOCK COMPANY.

NOTICE.

THE Shipping Community are informed that the Port of Amoy affords unequalled advantages and facilities for the repair of vessels in the AMOY DOCK COMPANY'S NEW GRANITE DOCK, which is in complete working order, and capable of receiving vessels of great draught of water and 300 feet in length.

The Company keep on hand a large supply of Timber, Spars, Iron, Copper and Metal Sheathing, Lumber, Paints, and every requisite for repairing and refitting vessels; and the work is done under the Superintendence of Experienced European Shipwrights and Smiths. The Dock is fitted with Caisson Gate. Iron Ships requiring to Dock for cleaning and painting will find every accommodation in this Dock at reasonable charges.

Good Quarters on the Premises for Crews of Vessel of War using the Dock.

27se Amoy, June, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS at all Open Ports of China, North of the Canton River for the

JOINT UNDERWRITER'S ASSOCIATION AT ROTTERDAM;

and no claims dated from either of these ports will be admitted by the Association unless verifyed by the Undersigned.

WM. PUSTAU & Co.
18oc Shanghai, 18th April, 1862.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MARINE SURVEYOR.

I HAVE this day established myself as MARINE SURVEYOR at this Port; Orders left at THOS. HUNT & Co., will be promptly attended to.

CHAS. J. LOVETT,
Late Surveyor for "New York and Philadelphia Insurance Offices" at San Francisco.

With reference to the above, notice is hereby given that CHARLES J. LOVETT has this day been appointed MARINE SURVEYOR for the United States Consulate Court.

G. F. SEWARD,
U. S. Consul.
tf Shanghai, 26th June, 1862.

NOTICE.

SHANGHAI DOCK COMPANY

E. HAWKINS, *Superintendent.*

THIS Company being now Proprietors of both Docks known as the OLD and NEW DOCKS give notice—

That the OLD or POINT DOCK is closed for enlargement, and cannot receive Vessels, until further notice.

The NEW or LOWER DOCK receives Ships of 14 feet draft and 280 feet length.

The Dock charge is Tl. 1,5. (one tael five mace) per Ton for one course of tide, and Tl. 1 (one Tael) per Ton for an additional course.

The Shipwright Work on any vessel entering the Docks is open to general competition.

The Dock Company is not responsible for any debt incurred in the name of the Docks, unless the contract is signed by both the Superintendent and the Chairman of the Company.

All bills for Dockage must be receipted by Messrs. Russell & Co., Treasurers of the Company.

P. LOUREIRO,
Chairman.
tf Shanghai, 10th February, 1862.

BELLAMBI STEAM COAL COMPANY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

THIS superior Steam Coal now supplied to H. M. Steam-ships on the Australian Station and also to the Railways in Victoria and New South Wales can be obtained on application to LAIDLEY, IRELAND & Co., Sole Agents at Sydney, or MESSRS. RUSSELL & Co., of Hongkong and Shanghai, and who will produce certificates and analysis showing the high character of this Coal. No cargoes are shipped without signed Pit Certificates from the Bellambi Mines accompanying them.

Perfect freedom from CLINKER, SULPHUR, or SLATE, combined with the established fact that this Coal produces fully 30 per cent more steam than any other Australian Coal, will commend it in the Eastern Markets.

tf Sydney, N.S.W., January 20th, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE ACCLIMATISATION SOCIETY OF VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA, are willing to make PURCHASES of such useful or ornamental, BIRDS, ANIMALS, and FISH, landed in Melbourne, as may meet the requirements of the Society.

W. H. ARCHER, *Hon. Sec.*

THE ARGUS GOLD PRIZE CUP.

THE ARGUS GOLD PRIZE CUP, of the value of One Hundred Pounds, for the year 1861, will be given to any one (unconnected with *The Argus or Yeoman* newspaper) who, within the year ending 31st October, 1862, shall INTRODUCE into the colony the most valuable or interesting ANIMAL, BIRD, or FISH, in sufficient numbers to establish the breed.

The decision to rest with the Council of the Acclimatisation Society, subject to the ratification of the Editor of *The Argus.*

Applications to be lodged with the Council of the Acclimatisation Society, before the 1st of December, 1862.

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EXTENSIVE FRAUDS.

LEA & PERRINS having discovered that several of the Foreign Markets have been supplied with SPURIOUS IMITATIONS of their "WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE," the labels of which closely resemble those of the genuine Sauce, and in one or more instances with the name of L. & P. FORGED: they have deemed it their duty to caution the public, and to request purchasers to see that the names of LEA & PERRINS are upon the *Wrapper, Label, Stopper, and Bottle.*

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29ma London 19th October, 1861.

NOTICE.

SHANGHAI PILOT COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. HUGH MACLEAN and Mr. C. W. HALSTEAD have been dismissed from and are no longer Members of the said Company, and that Mr. MACQUEEN, Apprentice, has also been dismissed.

By Order of the Board of Management.

We, the Undersigned, hereby give notice for general information that we will not be responsible for any loss or accident that may occur to Vessels piloted by the above-named Messrs. MACLEAN, HALSTEAD, or MACQUEEN.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents, Canton Insurance Office.
DENT & Co.,
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Agents, Hongkong Insurance Co.
tf Shanghai, 15th April, 1862.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Estate of JOHN HARDING *Tidewaiter, Imperial Maritime Customs Tientsin, deceased.*

ALL parties having claims against the above Estate are hereby requested to send them in for adjustment, to the office of the Undersigned on or before the 10th of August next, after which date no applications for the settlement of claims will be entertained. Persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JOHN GIBSON,
Acting Vice-Consul.

H.B.M. Vice-Consul,
Taku, 6th July, 1862.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF LIVERPOOL.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS at *Hankow* for the above Company, and are prepared to grant Policies against Fire on the usual terms.

SHAW, RIPLEY & Co.
tf Hankow, 17th July, 1862.

雷泊士米貴匠鐵上路石

NOTICE

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o Shanghai, 23rd July, 1862.

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"CERES,"

of about 9,000 Picula carrying capacity. She is strongly built, copper and iron fastened, in good condition and well found in sails, rigging and stores. She has been caulked and metaled within the past year, and is a desirable vessel for the coasting or other trade.

Apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
o Shanghai, 25th July, 1862.

FOR SALE,

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Warr Brot's Pale and Golden Sherry 3 "
" Fine Old Port,.........3 "

Apply to
W. H. PALMER,
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tf Shanghai, July 23rd, 1862.

FOR SALE.

AN invoice of Edwards' Superior Canvas, By

W. H. PALMER,
E-ho Hong.
tf Shanghai, July 23rd, 1862.

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MESSRS. F. A. CLIFTON & Co. will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on *Tuesday next the 29th instant*, commencing at 11 o'clock A. M. precisely, a quantity of—

Door Locks, Padlocks, Bolts, Frying Pans, Gridirons, &c. A fine collection of Japanese Cabinets, Tables, and Curios, Glass-ware, 100 doz. Butter Dishes, Wax Vestas, Soap, Liquors of all descriptions. Also, 3 bales Sewing twine without reserve; Clothing, and 1 very fine Gun in case, by MANTON.

F. A. CLIFTON & Co.,
Auctioneers, &c.
o Yang-king pang Creek, 26th July, 1862.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

NOTICE.—The AMERICAN EPISCOPAL CHAPEL Hongque Services on Sunday at 11 A.M. and 8 P.M.

NOTICE.—SEAMEN'S CHURCH: Services in the morning at 11 o'clock, and in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

NOTICE.—DIVINE SERVICE is held in the Roman Catholic Chapel, near the French Consulate, every Sunday, at 8 and 10 o'clock in the morning and 6 o'clock in the evening.

NOTICE.—DIVINE SERVICE will be held in Union Chapel, London Mission, every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 6 o'clock.

LATEST DATES.

England,	.........May 26	Hankow,	.........July 21
Hongkong,	.......July 20	Nagasaki	..........July 18
Tientsin,	.........July 14	Kanagawa,	......June 16

Latest dates in England, from China,—

Hongkong..Apr. 15	Received *via* Marseilles,	
Shanghai ..Apr. 6		May 26

COMPARISON OF OBSERVATIONS

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A SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETER

in the open air, in a shaded situation, at Shanghai,—the Maximum by day, and the Minimum at night.

FOR THE WEEK.

July	*Ending 25th July. 1862.*				*Ending 25th July. 1861*			
19.—	*Max*	84	*Min.*	78	*Max.*	92	*Min.*	79
20.—	"	86	"	78	"	91	"	77
21.—	"	87	"	78	"	89	"	76
22.—	"	87	"	79	"	89	"	77
23 —	"	83	"	77	"	90	"	80
24 —	"	81	"	76	"	95½	"	82
25.—	"	84	"	76	"	91	"	82

OPIUM.

July	*Malwa* Tls.	*Patna* Tls.	Tls.
19,	555	New 505	Old. 510
21,	555	505	510
22,	555	500	505
23,	555 a 560	505	510
24,	555 a 560	505 a 510	505 a 510
25,	555	505	510

LATEST SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED.—July 19, *Ninhoff*, (Dan. bq), Kross, from Hongkong; 25, *Shanghai*, (Br. str) Maundrill, from Hongkong; 25, *Shantung*, (Am. str.) Armstrong, from Hankow; 25, *Feima* (Br. str.) Harris, from Ningpo; 25, *Mona*, (Br. sch.), Miffet, from Nagasaki; *Emili C. Star*, (Am. bq.), Mayo, from Nagasaki; and a ship.

DEPARTED.—July 25, *Bosphorus*, (Dut. bq) Krulsénga, for Chefoo; 25, *Estrella*, (Span. bq) Ynymedo, for Amoy; 25, *Frederick*, (Dan bq.), Godt, for Hongkong and Whampoa; 25, *Paradise*, (Ham. str.), Popp, for Swatow; 25, *Energie*, (Bre. bq.), Meyer, for Tay-Wang; 25, *Thrudvang*, (Now. bq.), Lie, for Chefoo.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED—Per str. *Kiang-se*, from Hankow, Mr. Dana. Per H. M. S. *Hesper*, from Hongkong Capt. C. G. Rowley for H. M. S. *Renard*. Per H I.R.M. *Abreck*, from Hakodadi, Rear-Admiral Popoff, Commander-in-Chief of the Russian Naval Forces in the Pacific Ocean. Per S. S. *Shanghai* from Hongkong, Mrs. J. C. Bennet, 2 children, Mr. H. Dunn, and a Parsee. Per *Feima* from Ningpo, Messrs. Jackson and Ruben. Per *Shangtung* from Hankow, Messrs. Howard and F. V. de Fonseca.

DEPARTED.—Per str. *Aden*, for Hongkong, Commodore Kessauson, Lieut. Des Varannes, Commissarie Pumpernel, Capt. J. O. Willis, Lieut. Brown, Deputy Com.-Gen. Horne, Capt. Geo. Balchen, Messrs. R. J. Ashton, R. W. Patterson, A. Cushny, R. Trannack, S. J. Raymond, Piry, and Pons. Per str. *Poyang*, for Hankow, Messrs. Tate, Hudson, Drysdale, Hammond, J. T. Seaman, Jr., and W. M. Tileston.

EXPECTED.—From Europe,—
May 20.

For Hongkong, — Mrs. Jones, Mr. Gledleston, Com C. J. Rowley, R N., Mr. and Mrs. Ball, Messrs. Soy, McCormack, J. R. Watkinshaw R. Watmore, Mr. and Mrs. Mercer, Gen. and Mrs. Echaque, son, and daughter, and two aides-de-camp.

THE London Mail of 10th June due in Hongkong on the 23rd July, and here on the 30th. It was received last year on the 27th July per *Aden.*

THE P. & O. Co.'s steamer with the mail for Europe is appointed to leave on Sunday, the 3rd proximo.

The North-China Herald.

IMPARTIAL, NOT NEUTRAL.

SHANGHAI, SATURDAY, JULY 26 1862.

CIRCUMSTANCES continue to crowd around and within this anomalous settlement of Shanghai, that force upon us more and more every day, the consideration of a better system of self-government than that which obtains at the present time. On a former occasion we alluded cursorily to this vital question; and we have reason to believe that our remarks assisted in arousing the attention of the most influential foreign residents, the representatives of the Treaty Powers and the Municipal Authorities, to a sense of its importance and its immediate discussion. For this purpose a special meeting of Land Renters will be held at H.B.M.'s Consulate on an early day in September. Meanwhile, we deem it our duty, as exponents of public opinion, to raise the argument, and open our columns for the ventilation of the subject.

At the outset, it must be admitted that the body politic is ripe for the establishment of some consolidated system of government, otherwise any movement in that direction would be premature. If we are not in error, there are few, if any, among the earnest, thinking members of this community, but who are abundantly satisfied on this point—that the formation of one central and and responsible executive power emanating from a legislative assembly, empowered to draw up a code of laws for general purposes, is becoming an absolute necessity. Wherever we turn our attention, we see public abuses that require remedying, or some struggling improvement that looks up for protection and assistance, while the chaos of things in general, demands immediate classification under a governmental system of law and order. Even if it be contended that we are still in an undeveloped state, it is only prudent that we should be prepared beforehand to meet any emergency forced upon us, by the influx of a foreign population, who might trespass upon the rights of the pioneer residents, and create further confusion than exists at present.

Admitting, therefore, that we are verging upon our political majority, it appears to us that the first point for consideration is our territorial position, as it involves the whole question of our existence as an independent foreign community. If we were asked the simple topographical question, "What is Shanghai?" We should have some difficulty in giving a satisfactory answer. It is not a colony like Hongkong, nor a city like Victoria, on that island; and yet it has all the elements of both, even in a higher degree than that which our southern neighbours possess. With the commerce and adjuncts of a great maritime city, like Hamburg in Europe, or Melbourne in Australia, it goes by the humble appellation of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, as if it was an insignificant suburb of the wretched Chinese city of that name. Much error exists abroad on this head. Recently we read in the columns of a southern contemporary, that the settlement was situated between the walled city and the river, whereas there is not a foot of ground to spare between the Wong-poo and the Chinese town and suburbs. To those at a distance who take an interest in the welfare of Shanghai, we may inform them that the site of this remarkable colony of foreigners in China, is North of the walled city, and extends along the river bank for about three miles; including what are denominated the French, English, and American concessions, divided from each other by the Yang-king-pang Creek on the South, where our gallant Allies are chiefly located; and to the North by the Soochow Creek, across which our American cousins have mostly taken up their abode; while between the two, the British Consulate and the princely mansions of English merchants, present to the eye of the traveller the nucleus of a city of palaces. With a river frontage of three miles, the habitations stretch back for an average of one mile, being most sparse on the American side, and densest in the British quarter, where they stretch in a mass from the river bank for about a mile and a half.

Within these limits are located a small foreign population, but possessing wealth and influence equal to fifty times their number in any colonial possession; together with a native population of fully a hundred thousand, among whom are some of the richest Chinese in the empire. Besides this display of wealth and influence on shore, our harbour presents a forest of masts stretching for five miles up and down the river, amongst which at the present time are nearly two hundred square-rigged foreign merchantmen and steamers, averaging five hundred tons burthen; showing its position as a great maritime city and commercial emporium. Notwithstanding these evidences of the future foreign metropolis of China, Shanghai is denominated merely a settlement, and we are only denizens on sufferance from the Imperial Authorities. We have built the foundation, and partly reared the edifices of a magnificent city on land which is not held in perpetuity; and we traffic in merchandise, produce, and treasure, by the million sterling per month, yielding noble revenues, over which we have no controul. With the innate stability of a prosperous state, our territorial privileges, are, as it were, built upon sand—with the strength of a young giant in our body politic, running the race of progress and civilization, we are bound hand and foot by the shackles of official-dom. Under these circumstances it is high time that the topographical boundaries of Shanghai were defined, according to the political status, wealth, and influence of its inhabitants.

THE following biographical sketch of LUH-SIN-LAN—a Chinese "man of note" —is from the pen of our valued correspondent C'EST MOI, and may be relied on for its accuracy. We refer to it specially, as this individual was the same person alluded to in our daily issue, who suffered decapitation at the hands of the sanguinary Taoutai of Ningpo.

TAE-PING JOTTINGS.

LUH-SIN-LAN.

陸心蘭

THE news of the capture of the prefectural city Shaou-hing-foo soon reached the district cities Yu-yaou and Tsze-ke, distant from Ningpo, respectively, about thirty and fifteen miles. Yu-yaou shortly afterwards fell, upon which the Tsze-ke officials deserted their posts, and the troops or braves, that had been enrolled for the defence of the place, disbanded themselves.

One of the most prominent of the Tsze-ke townsfolk was an elderly gentleman, named Luh-sin-lan; during the Opium war (1840 to 42), and while the British troops occupied Ningpo, he was well known to many of the officers, and was on intimate terms with one or two of the interpreters. His conduct evinced great friendliness towards foreigners, and the assistance which he rendered more especially to the commissariat in procuring supplies, was highly appreciated; but while it may pecuniarily have to some extent benefitted himself, it, on the other hand had the effect of making him unpopular with, and an object of suspicion to, the anti-foreign of the Chinese officials After the evacuation of the city he kept up his acquaintance with the foreigners residing at Ningpo, was a frequent visitor at the British Consulate, and entertained with great courtesy and friendship such foreign visitors, as called on him at Tsze-ke. He was noted for his cleanliness, for the suavity of his demeanor, and for the considerate attentions he paid to his guests.

On the fall of Yu-yaou, and after the flight and dispersion of the Tsze-ke officials and militia, Luh-sin-lan called together the chief people of the city, and, in a plain and sensible manner, represented to them that, deserted as they had been by both officials and soldiery, the best course to be pursued by them, in order to ensure their safety in both person and property, was to conciliate the advancing Tae-pings; to attempt to offer opposition would, he said, but draw destruction on the city, whereas a timely submission might have the effect of securing kindly treatment. The elders concurred in his views, and the proceeds of a general subscription, amounting to some few hundreds of dollars, were appropriated to the purchase and preparation of such propitiatory presents as seemed most likely to prove acceptable. Luh-sin-lan then went forth, accompanied by a few attendants, and met the advancing marauders. Conducted to the chief, he informed him that the townspeople of Tsze-ke now made their submission, and that the presents noted on the face of the red card which he took with him in the usual Chinese manner, had been prepared

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and awaited the arrival of Tae-pings at the city. The chief was delighted, and sent Luh-sin-lan back to Tsze-ke, informing him of the hour on the following day at which he and his followers would enter the gates.

The Tae-ping force duly arrived at Tsze-ke; the gifts were presented to the leaders, and the men were publicly feasted. The result proved the correctness of Luh-sin-lan's views, and the Tsze-ke townsfolk had to thank his prudent and politic foresight for the immunity they enjoyed from the incendiarism, rapine, and bloodshed, which usually follow the capture of a city. For some days the place was as quiet as is Shanghai, and its inhabitants were as free from rude treatment as are the Chinese denizens of the model settlement.

On the fall of Shaou-hing-foo, it had, however, chanced that the Tae-pings received into their ranks certain quondam Imperialist braves, who had originally been recruited from the Tsze-ke district. These political renegades, knowing in what parts of the city were situated the residences of the more wealthy of the gentry, and having in many cases personal spites to gratify, took advantage of the circumstance to fire and plunder some portions of Tsze-ke. Their conduct was at once reported to the chiefs by Luh-sin-lan, who had been placed by the Tae-pings in charge of the city, in a semi-official capacity, somewhat like that of a district magistrate or che-hëen; the offenders were at once laid hold of, and decapitated summarily.

The main body of the Tae-pings then advanced upon Ningpo, having first secured Chin hae, and they took Luh-sin-lan with them. Ningpo, the 'city of the peaceful wave,' fell, and Luh-sin-lan was promoted to the office of Che-foo, or prefect. To his humanity and kindly endeavours, the poorer classes remaining at Ningpo were chiefly indebted for the preservation of both their persons and property. The rich Ningpo families had previously fled to Chusan or Shanghae; love of life was too much for the Celestial liking for dollars, and they gladly paid exhorbitant rates of passage money in order to secure their escape from the 'heralds of progress'—the Tae-pings—and take refuge under the paternal wings of those much-vilified officials, the Imperialist Mandarins, whom 'we fathers in China houses' know to be such adepts in "makee squeeze pidgin;"—*for* do not our boys, compradores and coolies, the well educated, truthful, and unbiassed reporters to whom we all are indebted for what we learn of every public occurrence—daily report to their news-devouring masters, 'Truly, that pieece Mandarin too muchee makee squeeze?'

The poorer classes would have fled too, but their 'brethren from afar'—the owners and consignees of steamers—knowing that the necessity of the people was the opportunity for the side-wheelers as well as 'screws,' and temporarily oblivious of what tight-laced folk might consider the duties of compassionate brotherhood, got up passage-rates, and thus made it necessary for the common people to take their chance at Ningpo. Happily, with the rebels arrived Luh-sin-lan. When the fulness of time has come, the proper man makes his appearance. For more than seventy years Luh-sin-lan had been a good Imperialist: honest, law-fearing, well-behaved, and respected. The Taepings arrived at Tsze-ke, he stepped forward, and saved his fellow-townsmen from the disastrous consequences of panic and useless opposition; Ningpo taken, they found in *him* the wanted friend of the people, and enjoyed through him comparative exemption from sufferings to which they would otherwise most assuredly have been subjected.

Soon after the taking of Ningpo, the rebel chief, Hwang, sighing for domestic felicity, took unto himself a wife; the young lady upon whom his choice fell, was (say my Chinese informants) either a grand-daughter or neice of Luh-sin-lan. Several of the Tae-pings followed their chief's example — uxorious Tae-pings!—and, through the aid of Luh-sin-lan, they found for themselves wives and help-mates: and, no doubt, the poorer classes at Ningpo, who had unmarried daughters dependent upon them, were temporarily relieved from much anxiety, by being enabled to regard their masters and conquerors as sons-in-law.

The Tae-ping occupation of Ningpo lasted, as is known, about four months. When ousted, Hwang and his followers retired upon Yu-yaou, at which place Hwang is now said to be. Luh-sin-lan, however, remained at Ningpo, under the protection of some missionary friends; with them he attended the funeral of poor Lieut. Cornewall. The *China Mail* in commenting on the funeral says "Mr. Consul Harvey, on seeing this worthy (i. e. "the *Rebel chief* (!) Luh-sin-lan)" in the cemetery at the funeral of one of H. M.'s officers just killed by the rebels said 'Why! what is this? That *wounded* Luh-sin-lan at this funeral!" "Yes! poor dear fellow" said a Mis-

'sionary in reply. Captain Dew, on his 'attention being called to Luh-sin-lan's 'presence, under the chaperonage of his 'friends the missionaries, was *disgusted* '*beyond speech!*'

Luh-sin-lan continued to reside at Ningpo. Some short time ago, he was so imprudent as to take up his residence in the city itself. His recent connection with the Tae-pings, his relationship by the marriage of his neice or granddaughter with Hwang the rebel chief at Yu-yaou, and (if there be in the *China Mail's* report any truth) the black looks cast at him by "our energetic and able Consul, Mr. Frederick William Harvey," and the ineffable disgust, too deep for words, in which he was held by so able a conversationalist as Captain Roderick Dew, should have warned him to act with greater care for his personal safety. But, verily

'Quem deus vult perdere, prius dementat.'

On the morning of Friday, the 18th inst., the house of Luh-sin-lan was entered by the official servants of the Ningpo district magistrate, who informed him that their master, the Che-hëen, required his presence at the Yamun without delay. Luh-sin-lan objected at first to go with them, alleging that he had not dressed, but promising to go soon; the servants,—Chinese Chae-yih, or police-runners, I presume,—said that as his presence was required at once he must go without waiting to put on his visiting costume. Luh-sin-lan, evidently suspecting that there was something wrong, called one of his sons aside, and directed *him to run to some* of his missionary friends and give information of what had occurred. The lad first went to the house of a medical missionary, whom however he did not find at home. He then went to the residence of another missionary; that gentleman, too, was out. After much searching, he succeeded in finding one of the friends sought for, who immediately repaired to the Taoutae's Yamun, and thence to the Che-hëen's. He was too late. Luh-sin-lan had already been decapitated.

The news of the unexpected and violent end of the old man caused considerable excitement amongst the foreigners residing at Ningpo, mercantile, official, and missionary; many, too, of the Chinese inhabitants felt aggrieved, and, on the following day, some hundreds of them presented themselves at the Prefect's Yamun, and by a popular demonstration showed how condemningly they regarded the execution.

Luh-sin-lan was more than seventy years of age; in appearance he was venerable and prepossessing; his manners were polite and courteous. The foreigners who have visited him at his own house in Tze-ke, *concurred in regarding* him as one of the most estimable of Chinamen. Nevertheless it is not for a moment to be asserted that the Imperialist officials had no cause for ordering his execution. The gentry of Ningpo, before the arrest took place, petitioned the officials to the effect that he was in correspondence with the rebel chief at Yu-yaou, and to such an accusation his connection, as above indicated, with Hwang, lends no little support. There was, too, an imprudent, perhaps impudent, air of defiant bravado, rather than an evidence of loyal submission, in his action in taking up his residence in the city.

A good subject for a period of fully seventy years; the friend of foreigners since the British occupation of Ningpo; 'the man for the time' when difficulties approached his native place; forced by circumstances to hold office as a rebel chief for a few months; left, or remaining, behind, in the power of the Imperialists, after the Taepings had been driven from Ningpo; suspected, if not proved guilty, of still holding correspondence with the rebels; seized, and decapitated. Such, in a few words, is the history of Luh-sin-lan.

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I have just read my peroration, or rather summing up, to my legal friend. His professional acumen and logical turn of mind suggest the following query and inferences in support of the action taken by the local officials.

Is it not a fact that Luh-sin-lan had for years back been in frequent intercourse with Missionaries and others, many of whom wished success to the rebel cause, and all of whom no doubt gossiped with him upon the growth of Taepingdom? Well: such having been the case, it is to be inferred that, however good an Imperialist he may have been, he must have been led to think that the success of the Taepings would give pleasure to foreigners, and that foreigners, whose arms he knew to be so powerful, would take steps to make the Taeping movement successful. Yu-yaou captured; Tsze-ke deserted by the Imperialists, and quietly occupied by the Taepings; Ningpo, notwithstanding the warning previously given by the foreigners against its being even approached, seized without opposition; the advent of the Taepings greeted by merchants; Luh-sin-lan himself appointed to be civil governor of the place:—what frame of mind must have been his? You may rest assured that, in his heart of hearts, he believed Taepingdom had come, and that his best plan was to be a Taeping, and an influential one too. Hence the matrimonial connection with the chief. His native goodness of heart led him to use his official authority in such a way as to render good service to the people. But, rely upon it,—his seventy years of Imperialist leanings granted,—the last half year of his life was one of rank, but gentle, Taepingism.

Thus far my legal friend. Our other chum, the Conservative Cosmopolitan, thereon took up the matter, and, reading from a letter just received from Ningpo, gave us to understand that, while the names of some Chinese connected with the Taepings were handed to the Taoutae by the foreign recapture of Ningpo, with directions that they were not to be molested, no mention whatever of Luh-sin-lan was made by them; they probably took it for granted that he was too well known to require to be named. Further, our chum informs us that, popular as was Luh-sin-lan with the Protestant Missionaries and English merchants, he was regarded, and spoken of, by the members of the Roman Catholic Mission as a "*mauvais sujet.*"

"Wheels within wheels," I remark.

"C' EST MOI."

Note.—The correctness of the report that Luh-sin-lan gave his female relative to wife to the chief Hwang is doubted by some. It is, however, a fact that he presented his son, a handsome lad of eleven or twelve years of age, to that worthy.

LAYS OF SHANGHAI.

THE SOLDIER'S LAMENT.

Farewell! much loved one, but too lately worn;
Let the rude breezes bear ye where they list;
For this dried I the chill dews of morn,
The cold of Tientsin, and Kahding's mist;
Abstained from loot; never drank too much,
Or if I did, I ne'er behaved as such.

As the tall paddy waves, graceful o'er the plain,
So nature's foliage o'er my chin was spread;
As fields in summer bear their golden grain,
My chin bore golden crops, or rather red.
Vain all my toil, oh! had they never grown,
The grief of parting, I should ne'er have known,

Each morn I used to dress them at the glass,
I seemed to comb and count them as I kept,
In one fell swoop the pride of years, alas!
The ruthless razor from that chin has swept.
Oh! what so hard, but could some pity feel,
Save Generals, razors, and such things of steel.

General! are there for warriors worthy foes?
Go, rouse the rebel lion in his lair,
Let not my harmless beard mar thy repose,
So great a man should scorn to course the hair.
Know that what we ourselves have kindly reared
We love, e'en though it be a beard.

Farewel! my greatest care by night and day—
My greatest care, though for so small a spot,
What though the bitter scoffer called it ere "hay,"
Ah! too prophetic of thy withered lot;
For thou wast cut as grass in early spring.
Oh! for a Pope this ravished lock to sing!

Who now shall teach thee as I oft have taught,
To bear my martial fingers' tender twirl,
How talk of valiant deeds and battles fought,
Who from a man, am transformed to a girl.
How shall I mourn; oh! teach me how ye sung,
Foxes sans tail, and vixens too *sans* tongue.

Arise avenger from those locks of hair;
Break the shorn tyrant's servile panoply;
Young Moses the gift that nature gives shall wear,
Our chins shall mouit before no stern decree;
And Generals pale with envy at our crops,
Shall beat their brains out—with their razor strops.

SUBALTERN.

THE TEA TRADE.

To the Editor of the NORTH-CHINA HERALD.

SIR,—The community of Shanghai, or rather those members of it, who take an interest in advising their friends in England and America, of what is doing in the staple article of our trade with hina—Tea, have always, more or less, but especially of late, found it very difficult, indeed almost impossible, to obtain the necessary information, namely—how many packages of Tea arrive at this port under contract, or otherwise, from Hankow and Kiukiang by each steamer—the settlements on this market, and the quantity shipped off. It is so desirable that accurate information on those points should be obtained, that I am anxious thus publicly to call the attention *of those interested to the subject*, especially as I believe the end might be very easily attained.

If Consignees of the various steamers would circulate the number of packages of Black and of Green Tea, as soon as possible after arrival, say in your Daily Paper, we should then know exactly how many of each kind came down the River; and if shippers would regularly report in the market-book intended for the purpose, any portion re-exported, and also all settlements on this market, the difficulty in obtaining the statistics indispensable to a Tea-merchant would be at an en .

Requesting you to insert this in your valuable paper in the hope that this, or some better method may be adopted.

I am, Sir,
Your's obedient'y,
CHAA-ZE.

MORALS FROM TEA-CHESTS.

NOT the tea-chests we see in the city of cities, Shanghai, but the boxes of catties brought from the interior near Swatow, where in the midst of barbarism they cultivate art, and, neglecting the more useful branches, they adorn their tea-boxes with pretty pictures. A series of these is before me, and leads my thoughts back to those happy times, the traditions of which only remain among the naked savages, who retain the practice of painting, alone of the many arts which then existed.

Where are the gardens in the towns which the first picture shews us? We *still see the quaint shaped windows*—pears, jars, bunches of grapes—water-spouts still take the shape of fish; but a savage in a hut, with a matchlock in his hand, has taken the place of the well-dressed couple, who meet in the well-dressed garden, where the banana and pomegranate relieve with their colour the shade of the wide spreading banian tree. Where shall we now find the summer house well-stocked with books, to which the elder invites his friend? Harmony remains no longer, and illiterate pirates have destroyed the pleasant gardens. There is no security now, and the luxury of rural bliss is at an end. Not now could two philosophers stroll through the country, guitar in hand, as in the next picture, to enjoy the varying prospects the divine finner offers to their gaze. Unsafe would it be to sit beside the water, making verses, or discoursing on the mysteries of philosophy, as the ancients delighted in the summer months to do. You carry little of value with you, but your aged persons would be seized, and blows daily administered, till a heavy ransom restored you to proper home. No more could you indulge in wine; your very guitar would have to go, to buy you rice, or to restore the clothes which, while they scorned to fetter their freedom with them, they took in very wantonness away without wine, stripped and beaten. No wonder that poetry and music have gone out, the watchman and his warning conch shell have taken the place of the wandering bard, and philosophy is no more discoursed of.

Yet sometimes the turbulent youth must regret the days gone by. Look at the two next pictures, the summer house on the lake and the cottage in the valley of the mountains. How calm, how peaceful was life. Few were the cases that oppressed the people of those happy times—thieves were not, and the open door and windows let in the evening breezes; wealth was not, and the morning work over, the elders could meet by the waters edge, watch the waterlilies, taste the temperate cup and smoking the venerable pipe, discuss the vanity of excitement and the pleasures of contentment.

Happy times! Now you could not stop so calmly to watch that flight of wild duck, and murmuring how beautiful are the works of nature, return ere the sun be quite set, to your peaceful couch, where slumbers light, and pleasing dreams await you. Seizing your gun you would have destroyed the harmony of nature, careless of the agency in the eye of the dying bird, unobservant of the beauty of its plumage, thinking solely that your aim was good, and you had done better perhaps than another could have, walking, climbing, crawling eagerly for another opportunity, deeming it your end attained if by fatigue and succeeding debauch, you could obtain in heavy slumbers temporary forgetfulness of the misery of your feverish illspent life. Rather would I be one of that pair of ducks floating down the stream in heavenly quiet.

Where shall we meet now those dear little toddles, in the next scene, walking so affectedly. The study of the rites has *gone out, and with it the respect and* love for parents; the pupil no more dutifully washes his masters inkstone, glad to perform menial offices for him in return for the knowledge of Taoli, of what he should and what he should not do. No longer may you be seen walking together preternaturally old indeed, as stiff and formal to a degree; but anxious to imitate the ancient sages, pondering over their sayings, and wondering whether it would ever be your lot to understand them. The fighting cricket, or the turn of luck occupy your mind now feverishly; excited by the hope of acquisition, too often to lose your little fortune without even a single cake or sweetmeat in return.

Does even love remain. We see here the lover writing her name and manifold perfections on the crumbling rock, attended by that constant imp who will carry his letters and love-sick verses, till admiring his talents, the parents consent to give their daughter to the once lowly student, but now rising scholar. No! Now you would join with some others desperate as yourself, wait till a maiden strayed from the next village, carry her off, throw lots, possibly fight for her, and lead a brutal sensual life till satiated, you murdered her, or surprised, she was carried off by your enemies while you were away searching for plunder.

Nor now would you find the following subject:—The learned daughter, wise as she is beautiful, reading the verses she has been making to the old retired Man-darin, her father, valued now for good looks alone—looked on merely as an animal, if she devotes her little mind to anything at all. It is to the whitening of her face, to the due application of vermillion to her lip, and the due adjustment of the flowers, the only thing beautiful about her, in her stiffened hair. The rambles to the temple on the hill, the visits across the lake, the boating excursions, the quiet walks, are all at an end. Mamma and her daughter can no longer stroll through the country, as we see them here. Mamma might be safe for Mamma's day has gone by, but Missy would be a bold robber's bride ere night. Other causes would you have for fear and trembling, crossing that bridge, than the extreme ricketty-ness of its construction. No more can you roam, as the next picture shews you, with your sister, thinking of the hero, who is to win you with his verses, not his mere strong arm. Perhaps, for woman is weak, you would prefer painted idleness, to sweeping the leaves from the little terrace where your mother sits discoursing, inconsiderate creature. When the paint has destroyed your bloom, as cook and drudge you would now lament the happy days when age had no effect upon your then chief charm, a cultivated mind.

Hard probably too that boy thinks his fathers order, "go and fetch home those sheep." He goes indeed, willingly, for he sees his father humbly waiting on that aged lady to whom he owes life, the grandmother of the family; but he would rather stay and watch his uncle fishing, or assist the teacher worshipping under the open canopy of heaven, the divinities invisible to him as yet, but who he feels are there; and whom, perhaps, he sees in those times they once and again became visible. He has seen, but could oh boy! you look forward to now, when suffering from the rod for some real or supposed fault, perhaps peevishness merely of the wretch who kidnapped you the other day, and intends bringing you up as wicked as himself, how cheerfully would you have discharged the light duties which then fell to your lot.

Lost too in these days are the fairies and benevolent genii, succeeding pictures shew us then abounded. No longer does the beautiful ethereal damsel appear to the wise philosopher, beautiful oh mortal! are thy aspirations, so I have come to reward them. No more does the philosopher, performing his incantations, inquiring what is that of all things to be desired in this world? See the white stork flying heavenward, answering him "a virtuous old age." No more is the damsel wandering by the pond saluted by the genius in the form of the frog. Weep no more! oh! beauteous maiden; for your virtuous prayer is granted—for the bosom of a hero is your lovely form implanted, he shall love and he shall wear you, and his name begins with W. So the fairies have left us, the genii have flown away; and all that appears to us now is ever and again a hideous spectre, bloodstained, gory, horrid, and frightful, reminding us of our crimes and vengeance to come hereafter. Peace, virtue, content filial love, chaste desires have all passed away, and lust, avarice, violence, and wrong, reign in their stead. But the memory of days, gone-by remains on the Tea-chests, and we hope not indeed for the return of those happy simple days, but for a more perfect, holier, happier state to come, when this transition state is over, and the world is once more at peace, Alas! that this can never be our generation.

ALAS!

(From the Daily Shipping & Commercial News of July 21.)

WRECK OF THE "SWORDFISH."—During the past week, accounts were received in the Settlement, that the American ship *Swordfish* was wrecked outside Woosung. In consequence of the loss of our reporter, we did not receive a reliable account of it. We now learn that this fine clipper ship of 1,000 tons was bound for Amoy and on the 13th instant, when it was blowing heavily, she fouled her anchor outside the marks, and drifting on to the North Bank she became a wreck; the high winds forcing her up, until, at last accounts, she had only three feet of water around her at low tide. The schooner *Frank* has gone down to take off the crew, and do what may be practicable towards saving cargo.

CAPTURE OF PIRATES.—H. M. S. *Sphinx* arrived in harbour on the 18th, after a short cruize on the Yang-tsze river, in search of piratical junks, when she succeeded in capturing forty-five prisoners (Cantonese), and destroying four vessels.

CAPTURE OF CHIN-SHAN FROM THE TAIPING REBELS.—The city of Chin-shan, commonly known as Kin-so-way, situated on the coast about 25 miles South of Shanghai, has been captured from the rebels by the Imperial troops under General Ward. The details of the engagement have not yet reached us, but the statement is official and authentic.

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METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

Showing the highest and lowest degrees of temperature in the month of *August*, 1861, from observations taken by a self-registering Thermometer in the open air, in a shaded situation, at Shanghai,—the *Maximum* by day and the *Minimum* at night; and the number of rainy days during the same period,—also the average of the same for 7 years.

August 1861.—Rainy days 8.

	Max	Min		Max	Min
1	90	81	17	90	79
2	93	81	18	95	76
3	93	83	19	86	78
4	95	84	20	87	80
5	95	80	21	89	77
6	92	79	22	91	76
7	87	80	23	91	80
8	88	78	24	92	79
9	87	78	25	90	79
10	88	78	26	90	79
11	88	78	27	88	78
12	87	78	28	89	79
13	87	76	29	88	79
14	87	79	30	86	82
15	87	80	31	87	80
16	88	79			

Average of 7 years { Thermo. *Max* 88. *Min* 77. Rainy days 8.

To be continued monthly.

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tf Shanghai, 5th April, 1862.

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tf Shanghai, 16th May, 1862.

NOTICE.

SHANGHAI PILOT COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that after the 30th of June, 1862, the Local Insurance Offices will not be responsible for any loss or accident that may occur to Vessels piloted by other Pilots than those licensed by the Board of Management of the said Company.

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tf Shanghai, 6th July, 1861.

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tf Shanghai, 17th May, 1861.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

GRIBBLE & WHITFIELD,

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tf May 5th, 1862.

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tf April 28th, 1862.

Wm. DATO & Co.,

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tf Shanghai, 4th April, 1862.

MR. EDWARD LAWRANCE,

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Office hours from 10 *till* 4.

tf Shanghai, 15th March, 1862.

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E. C. KIRBY & Co.,

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.

Date.	Vessels.	Flag & Rig.	Tons	Captain.	From	Sailed	Cargo.	Consignees.
July 17	Jin-Kee	B. str.	495	Milton	Hankow	July 14		Gibb, Livingston and Co
.. 18	Palma	Ha. bg	240	Schnehnze	Whampoa	.. 7	Rice	Turner and Co
.. 18	Therese	Da. bg	309	Ker-aing	Cardiff	Jan 24	Coals	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
.. 18	Dwina	Rus. bg	286	Van Ritten	Hongkong	July 7	Rice	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
.. 18	Contest	A. str.	194	Draper	Tientsin	.. 14	General	Russell and Co
.. 18	Sphinx [H M	str.		Jones	Yang-tsze			
.. 18	3 Gun boats	H.M.						
.. 18	Raleigh	B. ship	567		London		do	Hogg Brothers
.. 18	Dom Pedro II.,	A. brig	252	Lewis	Swatow			Augustine Heard and Co
.. 18	London	B. str	405	Sullivan	Hankow	.. 14		Harkort and Co
.. 18	Kiang-se	A. str	1086	Berry	do	.. 16	do	Russell and Co
.. 18	Manila [H M	st.-ship		Smith	Taku	.. 12		
.. 18	Express	B. str.	290	Castilla	Hankow	.. 13	do	Jardine, Matheson & Co
.. 18	Governor General	B. str.	502	McQueen	do	.. 16	do	Dent and Co
.. 19	Lightning	B. str.	316	Taylor	Taku		do	Gibb, Livingston and Co
.. 19	Iron Prince	B. str.		Ivesson	Hongkong	.. 7		
.. 19	Eliza Mary	B. schr	126	Aublin	Ningpo	.. 17	Rice	Edward Byrne
.. 19	Cadovius	Da. bg	265	Paulsen	Singapore	.. 3	General	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
.. 19	A. C. Anderson	Nor. bg	184	Stromberea	Newcastle	Feb 9	Coals	Siemssen and Co
.. 19	Lily	B. brig	287	Marden	London	.. 8	do	Gibb, Livingston and Co
.. 19	Resolution	Sia. sh	626	Lawsen	Hongkong	July 3	Rice	A. R. Tilby and Co
.. 19	Ardville	B. brig	429	Williamson	Newcastle	Jan 14	Coals	Chapman, King and Co
.. 19	Dradlen	A brig	574	Lawyer	New York	Dec 13	do	Dent and Co
.. 19	Saint Paul	A. ship	1100	Burkett	Liverpool	Apr. 16	do	
.. 19	Hesper [H M	g.-boat		Chapman	Hongkong	July 13		
.. 20	Algerine [H M	g.-boat		Blane	S'dle Island	.. 19		
.. 20	Fenella	B. str.	179	Shaw	Ningpo		Sundries	Barnes Dallas
.. 20	Sir Charles Forbes	B. str.	138	Mooney	Ningpo		Tea, &c.	Gibb, Livingston & Co
.. 21	Rajah	B. str.	390	Catto	Hankow		do	David Sassoon Sons & Co
.. 21	New York	B. brig	500	Williamson	Hongkong	July 15	General	A. R. Tilby and Co
.. 21	Cobang	B. brig	348	Smith	do	.. 12	Rice	A. R. Tilby and Co
.. 21	Picciola	Ha. bg	232	Poehl	do	.. 6	do	Siemssen and Co
.. 21	Flora McDonald	B. brig	319	Soloman	Singapore	June 20	Timber	Order
.. 21	Archimedes	Bre. sch	162	Eckenberg	Macao	July 12	Rice	
.. 21	Hound	A. ship	713	Nash	Hongkong		General	Bower, Hanbury and Co
.. 21	Stuart Wortley	B. ship			London			Gibb, Livingston and Co
.. 22	Pruth	B. brig	863	Reay	do	.. 12	do	A. Ellissen and Co
.. 22	Columbia	B. str	890	Shettleworth	Hankow		do	David Reid
.. 23	Rosella	B. brig	283	Atkinson	Amoy	.. 17	Rice	Siemssen and Co
.. 24	America	Ha. bg	230	Nause	do	.. 17	Ballast	Wm. Pustau and Co
.. 24	Luchow	Ha. bg	158	Schawn	Macao	.. 13	Rice	Wetmore, Cryder and Co
.. 24	Colonsay	B. brig	235	Watson	Hongkong	.. 16	do	Turner and Co
.. 24	Wilhelmine	Da bg	186	Benedictsen	Tientsin	.. 8	General	Turner and Co
.. 24	Cheribon	Du. bg			Hongkong		Rice	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
.. 24	Abreck [H I R M			Pilkin	Hakodadi	.. 13		
.. 24	Bouncer 95 [H M	g.-boat		Knivett	Yang-tsze			
.. 24	Paysan	A. str.	47	Goodenough	Ningpo		Ballast	Wetmore, Cryder and Co

DEPARTURES.

From Woosung.

Date.	Vessels.	Flag & Rig.	Tons	Captain.	Destination.	Cargo.	Despatched by
July 17	Pelma	B. str.	121	Schalefield	Ningpo		Moses and Co
.. 18	Ly-ee-moon	B. str	369	Hill	Hongkong	Tea, &c.	Dent and Co
.. 18	Johanne	Da. bg	199	Diedrichsen	Taiwan	Sun., &c.	Wm. Pustau and Co
.. 18	Kiukiang	B. brig	210	Volquarelsen	Ningpo	Re-expts	Rothwell, Love and Co
.. 19	Aden	B. str.	507	Gillson	Hongkong *	Tea, &c.	E. Warden, Agent P. and O. Co
.. 19	Johanne Fredrika	Du. bg	182	Collenteur	Nagasaki	Sun., &c.	Siemssen and Co
.. 20	Pembroke	A. str.	221	Perkins	Hankow	do	Russell and Co
.. 20	Carthage	B. str.	599	Bolton	Tientsin	Op., &c.	Jardine, Matheson and Co
.. 20	Lanrick	B. brig	283	Hooper	Kanagawa	Sun., &c.	Jardine, Matheson and Co
.. 20	Sea Bird	A. bark	333	Weston	Hongkong	Ballast	Wetmore, Cryder and Co
.. 20	Oriental	B. bark	506	Macey	Chefoo	Sun., &c.	Jardine, Matheson and Co
.. 22	Po-Yang	A. str.	827	Briggs	Hankow	do	Olyphant and Co
.. 23	Contest	A. str.	194	Draper	do	do	Russell and Co
.. 23	Manila [H M	str.		Smith	North		
.. 23	Congo	Ha. bk	241	Dinse	Sydney	do	Wm. Pustau and Co
.. 24	Sir Charles Forbes	B. str.	159	Mooney	Ningpo	Re-expts.	Gibb, Livingston and Co
.. 24	Fenella	B. str.	179	Shaw	do	do	Barnes Dallas
.. 24	Andes	A. ship	459	Spencer	Chefoo	Sun., &c	Howard and Co
.. 24	George Ruxton	B. bark	352	Beedie	do	Re expts.	Harkort and Co
.. 24	Stadt Oldenburg	Old. bg	193	Keyser	Hongkong	Ballast	T. Kroes and Co
	Martha Theresa	Du. bk	242	Visscher	Hakodadi	Re-expts.	Russell and Co
	Emma	B. schr	110	West	Ningpo	do	Shaw, Brothers and Co

* With Mails.

SHIPPING IN HARBOUR AND AT WOOSUNG.

MERCHANT VESSELS.

Vessels.	Date of Arrival	Flag & Rig.	Tons	Captain.	Consignees.	Destination	Intended despatch
A. C. Anderson	July 19	Nor. bg	184	Strombergs	Siemssen and Co		
Adelicia	June 29	B. bark	428	Hopwood	Jardine, Matheson and Co.		
Agincourt	June 1	B. ship	987	Beauvais	Jardine, Matheson and Co.	London	Early
Almena	June 26	A. bark	757	Peterson	Bower, Hanbury and Co.		
America	July 24	Ha. bg	230	Nause	Wm. Pustau and Co		
Anna Maria	June 20	B. bark	487	Hurst	H. Leighton and Co	Amoy	Imdt.
Annette	July 14	B. str	864	Jones	Hogg Brothers	Hankow	29th inst
Ardville	July 19	B. brig	429	Williamson	Chapman, King and Co	L'done K'gawa	Early
Argus	July 13	Ha. sch	168	Mortensen	Lindsay and Co		
Assyrian	July 10	B. ship	555	Mearns	Smith, Kennedy and Co.	London	Early
Archimedes	July 21	Bre. sch	162	Eckenberg			
Balder	July 6	Swe bg	298	Sjoberg	Wm. Pustau and Co		
Ballarat	July 17	B. ship		Jones	Fletcher and Co	London	Early
Beaver	June 28	A. ship	134	Howard	Russell and Co		
Beemah	June 25	B. ship	888	Johnson	W. R. Adamson and Co.	Fuchau	Imdt.
Benefactor	July 6	A. bark	722	Davis	Olyphant and Co.	Kanagawa	Early
Bosphorus	July 2	Du. bk	311	Kruisinga	Harkort and Co	Chefoo	cld 23 inst
Bredeneck	July 6	Bre. bk	353	Lorenzen	Siemssen and Co.		
Bunker Hill	June 14	A. str.	63	Cavanagh	Augustine Heard and Co.		
Cadovius	July 19	Da. bg	265	Paulsen	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.		
Calliope	July 11	A. schr	280	Taylor	Russell and Co		
Canton	June 2	B. bark	429	Leighton	Shaw, Brothers and Co	Fuchau	Early
Celestial	June 20	B. bark	499	Marshall	A. R. Tilby and Co.	Newchwang	Early
Ceres	June 20	A. bark	398	Melcher	Russell and Co		
Cheribon	July 21	Du. bg			Bourjau, Hubener and Co		
Chicora	June 20	B. ship	453	Bristow	Frazar and Co.		
Chusan	April 5	B. str	529	Buncombe	Barnes Dallas		
City of Nantes	June 14	B. str.	204	Bisson	Dow and Co.		
Clipper	June 6	Ha. sch	178	Marxen	Oppert and Co	Taku	Imdt.
Cobang	July 21	B. brig	348	Smith	A. R. Tilby and Co.	Nagasaki	Early
Colonsay	July 24	B. brig	235	Watson	Turner and Co		
Columbia	July 22	B. str.	890	Shettleworth	David Reid		
Concurrent	June 29	Da. bk	235	Davidson	Wm. Pustau and Co		
Cornelis Smit	July 6	Du. bk	642	Vandernand	Dent and Co		
Cosmopolite	July 17	B. str.	559	Campbell	Dent and Co	Hankow	Early
Cronkhane	June 28	B. brig	134	Mein	Edward Byrne	Nagasaki	Imdt.
Cruiser	July 4	B. lug	120	Newman	Fletcher and Co	Hankow	cld 25 inst
Daisy	July 5	B. bark	467	Gillis	Lindsay and Co		
Dolphin	July 2	B. bark	416	Withers	Dent and Co	Hongkong	cld 25 inst
Dom Pedro II.	July 18	A. brig	252	Lewis	Augustine Heard and Co		
Dradlen	July 19	A. brig	574	Lawyer	Dent and Co		
Dwina	July 18	Rus. bg	286	Van Ritter	Bourjau, Hubener and Co		

MERCHANTS VESSELS.—*Continued.*

Vessels.	Date of Arrival	Flag Rig.	Tons	Captain.	Consignees.	Destination.	Intended despatch
E. F. Willets	July 12	A. ship	825	Williams	Bower, Hanbury and Co.		
Eagle	June 10	B. schr	110	Donovan	Hogg Brothers	Sydney	Early
Earl of Chester	July 5	B. bark	517	Nancollis	Gilman and Co		
Edith Rose	June 26	A. bark	510	Homans	Russell and Co	Fuchau	Early
Effie	June 5	B. str.	72	Purcell	Dent and Co		
Eliza Mary	July 19	B. schr	126	Aublin	Edward Byrne		
Emperor	July 8	B. bark	337	Burman	Wheelock and Co	Nagasaki	28th inst
Endeavour	July 7	B. schr	153	Partridge	Wheelock and Co.		
Energie	July 2	Bre. bk	280	Meier	Siemssen and Co.		
Estrella	June 21	Spa. bg	170	Yaymedo	J. R. Barras	Amoy	cld 23 inst
Express	July 19	B. str.	290	Castilla	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	H'kow & Ports	Imdt.
Fawn	July 10	B. brig	125	Allen	Barnes Dallas		
Finzel	July 15		487	Murray	Dow and Co.		
Flora	July 10	Por. bk	261	Remedios	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.	Nagasaki	Imdt.
Flora McDonald	July 21	B. brig	319	Soloman	Order		
Fortuna	June 13	A. ship	639	Hansen	Augustine Heard and Co.	H'kong & S'pore	cld 23 inst
Frederick	June 10	Da. bk	292	Godt	Wetmore, Cryder and Co	Hongkong	Imdt.
Fruiter	July 15	A. bark	290	Webster	Frazar and Co.		
Gamecock	May 25	A. ship	1391	Jayne	Augustine Heard and Co	New York	Early
Ganjam	May 21	B. ship	886	Tickel	Gilman and Co	London	Imdt.
Garland	July 1	A. schr	113	Page	H. Leighton and Co.		
Geelong	July 8	B. bark	396	Brown	H. Leighton and Co		
General Michiels	July 2	Du. bk	400	De Wilde	T. Kroes and Co.		
General Morgan	June 26	A schr	138	Congdon	Frazar and Co		
Georges	July 8	Fr. sch	191	Gresos	A. R. Tilby and Co.		
Golden West	June 2	A. ship	1042	McKenzie	Russell and Co		
Governor General	July 19	B. str.	507	McQueen	Dent and Co	Kiukiang	cld 23 inst
Governor Wallace	July 4	A. schr	180	Birch	H. Fogg and Co		
Hankow	July 12	A. brig	151	Seves	Frazar and Co.	Fuchau	Early
Henrietta Louisa	June 20	Du. sch	160	Meyerdiks	T. Kroes and Co.	Kanagawa	Imdt.
Hertha	July 5	Ha. bk	250	Maller	Bourjau, Hubener and Co	Hongkong	Early
Homer	July 2	A. bark	400	Rowe	Oppert and Co.		
Hound	July 21	A. ship	713	Nash	Bower, Hanbury and Co.		
Hurricane	July 16	B. ship	980	Locke	Order		
Ida Lucy	June 6	A. Junk	120	O'Brien	Howard and Co		
Illawarra	July 14	B. str.	166	Turner	Phillips, Moore and Co		
Independence	July 12	A. ship	733	Thrane	Bull, Purdon and Co		
Iris	June 21	Ha. sch	239	Neiland	Bourjau, Hubener and Co.		
Iron Prince	July 19	B. str.		Ivesson			
Island Queen	July 12	B. str.	129	Stocks	Shaw, Brothers and Co		
Ismay	July 17	B. bark	422	Lesley	W. R. Adamson and Co.		
Jacob	July 6	Rus. bg	173	Felicke	Wm. Pustau and Co	Chefoo	Early
James Shepherd	July 15	B. bark	272	Becket	Jardine, Matheson and Co.		
Jane	June 15	B. bark	354	Cowan	Blain, Tate and Co.		
Japonica	July 15	B. schr	234	Douglas	Dow and Co.		
Java	July 2	Da. bk	309	Boysen	Wm. Pustau and Co	Fuchau	Early
Jin-Kee	July 17	B. str	495	Milton	Gibb, Livingston and Co.	H'kow & Ports	cld 21st
John Bibby	June 17	B. bark	408	Skeene	Johnson and Co		
John Stevensen	July 6	B. bark		Westlek	Augustine Heard and Co.		
John T. Wright		A. str	369	Watson	Howard and Co		
Jubilee	June 28	B. ship	765	Balfour	Fletcher and Co	London	Early
Julia G. Tyler	June 15	A. ship		Cooper	Bower, Hanbury and Co.		
Julie	July 5	Bre. bk	370	Haverbeck	Wm. Pustau and Co		
Julien Edward	June 21	B. ship	431	Kerk	P. F. Cama		
Juventa	June 2	A. ship	1186	Newall	Dent and Co		
Kate Hastings	June 25	A. bark	445	Kingman	Bower, Hanbury and Co.		
Kate Swanton	June 21	B. ship	535	Murdock	Gibb, Livingston and Co		
Kingman	June 21	Ha. bk	290	Myer	Wm. Pustau and Co	Taiwan	cld 21st
Kirkland	July 2	B. bark	453	College	Lindsay and Co		
Kiang-se	July 19	A. str.	1086	Berry	Russell and Co	H'kow & Ports	cld 21st
Kosmos	July 14	Ha. bg	324	Kriiger	A. R. Tilby and Co.		
Lady Alice	June 29	B. bark	420	Smith	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.	Kanagawa	cld 21st
Lammermuir	July 17	B. ship	952	Steward	Jardine, Matheson and Co.		
Laurel	June 21	B. ship	638	Garrick	Chapman, King and Co	London	Early
Lebanon	July 5	B. ship	717	Hamilton	Bower, Hanbury and Co.	Fuchau	cld 21st
Lightning	July 19	B. str.	316	Taylor	Gibb, Livingston and Co.	Hongkong	cld 25 inst
Lily	July 19	B. brig	287	Morden	Gibb Livingston and Co.		
Lizzie Boggs	June 30	A. bark	449	Dizer	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.		
London	July 18	B. str.	405	Sullivan	Harkort and Co	Hankow	Imdt.
Luchow	July 24	Ha. bg	188	Schawn	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.		
Lucy E. Ashbey	July 2	A bark	346	Ashbey	Dent and Co		
Macao	July 1	Ha. bk	214	Von Bargen	Siemssen and Co.		
Mahe	July 2	B. ship	560	Merrilees	Smith, Kennedy and Co.		
Manuelita	June 26	Spa. bk	233	Bocha	J. R. Barras	Amoy	cld 21st
Margaret Eliza	June 24	B. bark	505	Robinson	Russell and Co	Fuchau	Early
Maria Rozario	July 16				J. R. Barras		
Marmora	July 14	B. brig	363	Lyall	Dow and Co.		
Martin White	May 12	A. str	189	Lynch	H. Fogg and Co		
Mary Capen	July 4	A. schr	195	Savory	Augustine Heard and Co.		
Melbourne	Apr 16	B. ship	1060	Whitehill	Gibb, Livingston and Co.	London	Early
Melita	May 15	A. schr		Martin	Wm. Pustau and Co	*Laid up*	
Melrose	June 10	B. bark	286	Huson			
Migrator	June 21	B. bark	380	Wood	Blain, Tate and Co.		
Mingsam	June 19	B. schr	123	Johnson	Edward Eaton	Ningpo	Imdt.
Nagasaki	July 2	A. bark	580	Gibb	Wetmore, Cryder and Co	Nagasaki	Imdt.
Nankin	July 2	A. schr		Crosby	Russell and Co	Tientsin	Early
Neptune	June 11	B. schr	533	Varey	Dow and Co.	London	Early
New York	July 21	B. brig	500	Williamson	A. R. Tilby and Co.		
Ngapuhi	May 9	B. ship	513	Spence	Blain, Tate and Co.		
Nimrod	May 17	B. bark	235	Clark	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.		
Ocean Bride	June 21	B. bark	333	Payne	Dow and Co.		
Ocean Mail	July 16	B. ship	650	Banks	Dent and Co		
Ocean Queen	July 16	Sia. sh	600	Johnson	Bower, Hanbury and Co.		
Pacific	June 12	A. bark	434	Howard	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.	Amoy	cld 21st
Palma	July 18	Ha. bg	240	Schnehnze	Turner and Co.		
Palmetto	July 5	A. bark	341	Hopton	Wm. Pustau and Co	Newchwang	Early
Paou Shun	Dec 31	Chi. str					
Paradise	July 5	Ha. bk	384	Popp	Siemssen and Co.	Swatow	cld 21st
Paysan	July 24	A. str	47	Goodenough	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.	Ningpo	cld 21st
Pegasus	June 29	B. ship	520	Penrice	Blain, Tate and Co.	London	Early
Persia	Jun-29	B. ship	661	Fox	Frazer and Co	Chefoo	Early
Pet	June 16	A. str.	100	Wood	M. P. Freeman		
Philomela	June 12	B. ship	632	Stent	Smith, Kennedy and Co.	London	Early
Picciola	July 21	Ha bg	232	Poehl	Siemssen and Co.		
Pruth	July 22	B. brig	863	Reay	A. Ellissen and Co.		
Quivive	July 22	B. schr	107	Brown	David Sassoon, Sons and Co	Ningpo	Imdt.
Rajah	July 21	B. str.	390	Catto	David Sassoon Sons and Co		
Raleigh	July 18	B. ship	567		Hogg Brothers		
Rattlesnake	June 21	A. bark	469	Barker	Frazar and Co.		
Reconnaissance	July 8	Fr. bk	220	Beausejour	Vaucher, Frères		
Resolution	July 19	Sia. sh	626	Lawsen	A. R. Tilby and Co.		
Rhein	June 28	Ha. bk	360	Boster	Bourjau, Hubener and Co	Tientsin	cld 21st
Ringleader	June 28	A. ship	727	White	Gilman and Co	Fuchau	Imdt.
Romeo	July 6	B. bark	403	Fairbairn	Dent and Co		
Rosa *Hulk*	Aug 12	B. ship	475		F. R. Gamwell		
Rose	Apr 12	B. lug.	65		Hogg Brothers		
Rosella	July 23	B. brig	283	Atkinson	Siemssen and Co.		
Roska	July 15		446	Missen	Harkort and Co		
Ruby	July 20	B. lug	70	Holmes	David Sassoon, Sons and Co		
St. Louis	July 13	A. str.	700	Rabinet	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.	K'gawa & N'saki	Early
Saint Paul	July 19	A. ship	1100	Burkett			
Salamander	July 18	B. schr	115	Sorensen	Smith, Kennedy and Co.		
Samuel Stoddard	June 12	store sh	434	French	Jarvie, Thorburn and Co		
Sarah Scott	June 18	B. str.	371	Waters	Dent and Co.	London	Early
Sardinian	July 2	B. ship	1015	Sheridan	Johnson and Co		
Scandia	July 11	Swe bk	319	Johnson	Siemssen and Co.		
Scotland	July 13	B. str.	759	Ballard	Russell and Co		
Selene	July 17	Ha. bg	647	Jacobs			
Sen-Zai-Maroo,	June 2	Jap. bk	350	Noemama	T. Kroes and Co.	Nagasaki	Early
Shandon	June 5	B. str.	114	Dalziel	Moses and Co		
Sir George Grey	July 11	Ha. str	492	Möller	Siemssen and Co.		
Sir W. F. Williams	June 21	B. ship	869	Rees	Shaw, Brothers and Co.	London	Early
Spec	July 10	A. brig	300	Hussey	Thos. Hunt and Co.	Hakodadi	cld 21st
Spirit of the Times	June 30	A. ship	1260	Anderson	Olyphant and Co.		
Stuart Wortley	July 21	B. ship			Gibb, Livingston and Co.		
Stirling	Apr 7	B. bark	490	Bird	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.	Newchwang	Imdt.
Syrian	July 10	B. bark	228	Stopher	A. R. Tilby and Co.	Nagasaki	cld 25 inst
Ta-Yung	June 13	B. str.	124	Smith	Shaw, Brothers and Co		
Therese	July 18	Da. bg	309	Kersaing	Bourjau, Hubener and Co.		
Thomas Dryden	June 14	B. bark	450	Brown	Gibb, Livingston and Co.	London	Early
Thrudvang	June 18	Nor. bk	375	Lie	Siemssen and Co.	Chefoo	cld 17 inst
Trieste	June 21	A. bark	550	Sewall	Olyphant and Co	Amoy	Early
Wanderer	May 29	A. schr	175	Burmster	Augustine Heard and Co	*Repairing*	
Wandering Wave	July 11	A. schr	150	Walsh	H. Leighton and Co.	Hongkong	Imdt.
Water Witch	July 16	B. bark	279	Wilson	Dent and Co		
Washington	June 23	B. str.		Jellerson	Augustine Heard and Co	Kiukiang	cld 21 inst
Wavelet	July 5	B. bark	220	Torckler	Smith, Kennedy and Co.		
Wilhelmine	July 24	Da. bg	186	Benedictsen	Turner and Co.		
Willamette	July 9	B. str.	415	Howlett	Chapman, King and Co.		
Woosung	July 11	B. bark	300	McQueen	Gibb, Livingston and Co.		
Ygnacio	July 17	Spa. bg	200	Tuton	Wetmore, Cryder and Co.		
Zingari	July 4	Chi. str					

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